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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**  
**(Attorney Docket No. JOUR 007)**

In the Application of:  
Finch II, et al.

Serial No.: 09/606,385

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For: Method and Apparatus for Providing  
Frequent Flyer Miles and Incentives  
for Timely Interaction with a Time  
Records System

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**LETTER TO THE OFFICIAL DRAFTSPERSON**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby responds to the Examiner's objections to the drawings and, as such, is substituting the filed drawings of Figures 4 and 5 with Formal Figures that correspond to the objections made by the Examiner.

Please direct any questions or comments to the undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted,

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